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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

COMPASS INSURANCE COMPANY, a
New York corporation,
Plaintiffs,
vs.
UNIVERSITY MECHANICAL &
ENGINEERING CONTRACTORS, INC.,
a California corporation, formerly known
as University Industries, Inc., and ROES 1
to 10,
Defendants.

) NO. 3:14-CV-04295-JCS
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) Judge: Hon. Joseph C. Spero
) Courtroom: G
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) **REQUEST TO APPEAR AT CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE VIA
TELEPHONE; DECLARATION OF JAMES
P. LEMIEUX**
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) Date: January 16, 2015
) Time: 2:00 p.m.
) Judge: Hon. Joseph C. Spero
) Courtroom: G
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) Complaint filed: September 24, 2014
) Trial Date: None
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IT IS HEREBY REQUESTED by plaintiff Compass Insurance Company for the court to allow its counsel to appear at the January 16, 2015 case management conference by telephone. An amended complaint was recently filed on December 22, 2014. The defendants have not been served and, therefore, have not appeared in this action.

James P. Lemieux is primary counsel for plaintiff in this action and his father who lived in Connecticut died on January 9, 2015. Mr. Lemieux is currently in Connecticut with his family and they are planning the funeral services which will be either Wednesday January 14, 2015 or Thursday, January 15, 2015. Mr. Lemieux anticipates returning to California on either Thursday

1 January 15, 2015 or Friday, January 16, 2015 and, therefore, he cannot be certain that he will
2 arrive in San Francisco in time for the hearing. Plaintiff requests that Mr. Lemieux be able to
3 appear via telephone at the case management conference, rather than send another attorney from
4 his office who is unfamiliar with this case. (Declaration of James P. Lemieux, ¶2.)

5 Respectfully requested,

6 Dated: January 9, 2015

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10 JAMES P. LEMIEUX
11 Attorneys for Plaintiff Compass Insurance Company

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13 It is hereby ordered that Mr. Lemieux shall be on phone standby beginng
14 at 2:00 PM and await the Court's call.

15 Dated: 1/12/15

